

CHAPTER 214

LASCIVIOUS CONDUCT

S. F. 437

AN ACT to amend an act of the fortieth (40th) general assembly approved by the governor on February 10, 1923, and entitled "an act to amend, revise and codify section eighty-eight hundred three (8803) of the compiled code of Iowa, relating to immoral and lascivious acts with or in the presence of children," and known as senate file number 249.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. **Age extended.** Section one (1) of an act of the fortieth
2 (40) general assembly and approved February tenth (10), nineteen
3 hundred twenty-three (1923), and entitled "An act to amend, revise
4 and codify section eighty-eight hundred three (8803) of the compiled
5 code of Iowa, relating to immoral and lascivious acts with or in the
6 presence of children", and known as senate file number 249, is amended
7 by striking therefrom the following word, characters, and figures,
8 to wit: "thirteen (13)", and by inserting in lieu thereof the following
9 word, characters, and figures, to wit: "sixteen (16)".

Approved April 21, A. D. 1923.

See chapter 274.

CHAPTER 215

GAMBLING AND LOTTERIES

H. F. 797

AN ACT relating to property offered as a stake, or staked, paid, bet, wagered, laid or deposited in connection with or as a part of any game of chance, lottery, gambling scheme or device, gift enterprise, or any other trade scheme unlawful under the laws of this state; and providing for the seizure of such property and its disposition.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. **Forfeiture and seizure.** Property, whether real or per-
2 sonal, offered as a stake, or any moneys, property or other thing of
3 value staked, paid, bet, wagered, laid or deposited in connection with
4 or as a part of any game of chance, lottery, gambling scheme or de-
5 vice, gift enterprise or other trade scheme unlawful under the laws
6 of this state shall be forfeited to the state and shall be seized by the
7 sheriff or any other peace officer and shall be disposed of as herein
8 provided.

1 SEC. 2. **Notice of seizure.** The sheriff or other peace officer who has
2 seized property under the provisions of this act shall, within three
3 (3) days cause notice of such seizure to be given to the owner or
4 person in possession of such property if known and to be found within

5 the county; and if not known and if not found within the county,
6 such notice shall be served by posting a copy thereof in three (3)
7 public places within the county, one copy of which, in cases of real
8 property, shall be posted on the premises.

9 Such notice shall describe as nearly as may be the property seized
10 and shall state that the matter of the disposition of said property
11 will come on for hearing at the next term of the district court there-
12 after.

1 SEC. 3. **Hearing—order of disposal.** Any person owning or having
2 an interest in any such property may appear on the day appointed
3 for such hearing by the court and show that the property seized is
4 not of the character described in section one (1) hereof. If such
5 claim is established, such property shall be returned to the owner
6 thereof and to the place from which taken. If it is determined by the
7 court that the property seized is of the character described in section
8 one (1) of this act, it shall enter an order directing the immediate
9 destruction of all such property which does not have a legitimate use
10 and the sale of all property other than money which may be used
11 legitimately. All moneys received under the provisions of this act,
12 either by seizure or as a result of sale, shall, after the payment of all
13 costs, be paid into the school fund. All proceedings shall be docketed
14 in the name of the state against the property seized and shall be tried
15 as an ordinary action, the county attorney appearing for the state.

Approved April 14, A. D. 1923.

CHAPTER 216

INFRINGEMENT OF CIVIL RIGHTS

H. F. 334

AN ACT to amend section five thousand eight (5008) chapter eleven (11) title twenty-four (24) of the code (C. C. 8888, 8889) relating to infringement of civil rights, providing for a specific penalty for violation thereof.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. **Penalty.** That section five thousand eight (5008) chap-
2 ter eleven (11) title twenty-four (24) of the code, (C. C. 8888, 8889)
3 be, and the same is hereby amended by striking out the period after
4 the word "misdemeanor" at the end of the section, and adding the
5 following words thereto, "and shall be punished by a fine not to
6 exceed \$100.00 or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed thirty
7 days."

Approved March 28, A. D. 1923.